

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please amend the specification by inserting the paragraph below, after the title on page 1.

**Cross-Reference to Related Application**

This application claims priority based on International Patent Application No. PCT/FR2003/050199, entitled "Packaging for the Transport/Storage of Radioactive Material" by Jean-Pierre Bersegol, Benoît Alaurent and René Chiocca, which claims priority of French Application No. 02/16649, filed on December 24, 2002, and which was not published in English.